

GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT

REGULATION OF TRADE IN ABNUS LEAVES-Beedi Leaf Season, 2021-
Departmental Collection of Beedi leaf in (30) Districts and (37) Divisions in
Telangana State - Implementation of Scheme - Orders - Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (FOR.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 109

Dated: 12-10-2021

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.178, EFS&T (For.I) Department, dt.16.11.2020.
2. From the PCCF(HoFF), TS, Hyd.,Rc.No.475/2021/M1(STC),
dt.29.05.2021.

ORDER:-

In the G.O. 1st read above, Government have appointed Telangana State Forest Development Corporation Limited, Hyderabad as "Agent" to the Government for the purpose of purchase and trade in Beedi Leaves during the year 2021 Beedi Leaf Season for purchase and trade of Beedi Leaves in Telangana State.

2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Telangana State, Hyderabad in her letter 2nd read above, has submitted proposals to the Government for implementation of the Beedi Leaf Scheme, 2021 with an outlay of Rs.59.79 Crores which entails collection of anticipated (243) BL units and a total target of 2,41,700 Standed Bags. She has also requested for continuation of financial powers to the Forest Officers during the Beedi Leaf Season, 2021 and requested for issue of early order.
3. Government, after careful consideration of the matter, hereby accord sanction to the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Telangana, Hyderabad for implementation of the Beedi Leaf Scheme in (30) Districts and (37) Divisions in Telangana State during 2021 Beedi Leaf Season, at a cost of Rs.58.79 Crores as detailed at Annexure-I & II to this order. No vehicles shall be purchased.
4. Financial powers (Cheque Drawing Powers) to Forest Officers at various levels, as fixed by the Government vide G.O.Ms.No.36, EFS&T(For.III) Department, dt.28.04.2001 for implementation of Beedi Leaf scheme, shall continue for Beedi Leaf Season, 2021, also, which are detailed at Annexure- III to this order.
5. Permission is also accorded to Telangana State Forest Development Corporation Limited, Hyderabad for raising necessary loan from the consortium of Banks, without Government Guarantee, to meet the total expenditure required for the schemes subject to Debt and interest servicing by the Corporation itself.
6. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Telangana State, Hyderabad and Vice Chairman & Managing Director, Telangana State Forest Development Corporation Limited, shall take necessary action, accordingly.
7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (DCM)Dept., vide their U.O.No.113734/158/A2/DCM/2021, dt.21.08.2021.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

A.SANTHI KUMARI,
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF),
Telangana State, Hyderabad.

The Vice Chairman & Managing Director,
Telangana State Forest Development Corporation Limited, Hyderabad.

Copy to:-

The Accountant General, Telangana, Hyderabad.
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Hyderabad.
The Director of Treasuries, T.S., Hyderabad.
All District Collectors in Telangana State.
All DTOs in Telangana State.
The Finance (DCM) Department.
The P.S. to Minister (F&E).
The P.S. to Spl. Chief Secretary to Government,
EFS&T Department.
SF/Scs.

//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER.

(Contd... Annexure-I, II & III)

ANNEXURE – I to G.O. Rt. No.109 EFS&T/For.I(2)/2021, Dt:12.10.2021

STATEMENT SHOWING THE DIVISION-WISE AND CATEGORY-WISE TARGETS

Sl. No.	Name of the Forest Division Officer	Name of the District Forest Officer	Category-I		Category-II			
			FDO		FDO		DFO	
			No. of Units	Targets in S.Bs.	No. of Units	Targets in SBs	No. of Units	Targets in S.Bs.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
I	KOTHAGUDEM CIRCLE							
1	Bhadrachalam		5	9400				
2	Mangur				5	6200		
3	Paloncha				4	2500		
4	KWSPaloncha				5	5000		
5	Kothagudem				3	3900		
6	Yellandu				8	11500		
7	Mahabubbad				7	7300		
8	GudurWLM				12	18500		
	Total:-		5	9400	44	54900		
	Kothagudem Circle Total:-		49 Units (9400+54900) = 64300					
II	KHAMMAM CIRCLE							
9	Khammam				3	1000		
10	Sathupally				3	2900		
	Total:-				6	3900		
III	WARANGAL CIRCLE							
11	Warangal - R				2	2300		
12	Mulug				11	8600		
13	Tadavi				7	5900		
14	Venkatapuram				4	2800		
15	WL Eturnagaram				7	6500		
16	Bhupalpally				19	19800		
17	Mahadevpur				16	19600		
	Total:-				66	65500		
IV	KARMNAGAR CIRCLE							
18	Jagityal						2	300
19	Peddapalli						9	7700
	Total:-						11	8000
V	KTR CIRCLE, NIRMAL							
20	JannaramFDPT				1	500		
21	Mancherial				10	8100		
22	Chenur				14	24000		
23	Bellampally				10	14400		
24	Nirmal				1	400		
25	Khanapur				1	400		
	Total:-				37	47800		
VI	ADILABAD CIRCLE							
26	Adilabad				7	4700		
27	UtnoorFDPT				2	2100		

28	Echoda				3	700		
29	Asifabad				12	12600		
30	Kaghaznagar				13	19200		
	Total:-				37	39300		
VII	NIZAMABAD CIRCLE							
31	Nizamabad				2	600		
32	Banswada				7	2300		
33	Kamareddy				4	2400		
	Total:-				13	5300		
VIII	MEDAK CIRCLE							
34		Medak					5	900
35		Sangareddy					4	1100
		Total:-					9	2000
IX	RANGAREDDY CIRCLE							
36		Vikarabad					10	3500
		Total:-					10	3500
X	MAHAHBUBNAGAR CIRCLE							
37		Mahahbubnagar					4	1900
		Total:-					4	1900
XI	Amarabad TR Circle							
38	Nagarkurnool				1	200		
	Total:-				1	200		
	GRAND TOTAL		5	9400	204	216900	34	15400

PROPOSED FOR 2021 BEEDI LEAF SEASON.

TOTAL NO OF BEEDI LEAF UNITS: **243 UNITS**
TOTAL TARGET FIXED: **2,41,700S.Bs.**
(One S.B = 1000 bundles of 50 leaves each)

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ANNEXURE – II to G.O. Rt. No.109 EFS&T/For.I(2)/2021, Dt:12.10.2021							
ITEM-WISE PARTICULARS OF EXPENDITURE PROPOSED FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF COLLECTION OF BEEDI LEAF DURING 2021 BEEDI LEAF SEASON.							
Sl. No.	Particulars of works	Quantity (S.Bs.) 1000 bundles of 50 leaves each)	Rate per SB	Reimbursement Amount (Rs. in Lakhs)	Non-Reimbursement Amount (Rs. in Lakhs)	Total (Rs. In Lakhs) (2021 Season)	Remarks (% increased for 2021 B.L. Season over that of 2020 season)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1(a)	Collection of B.L. in Bhadrachalam areas @ Rs.2050 /- S.B.	9,400	2050	192.70	-	192.70	
(b)	Collection of B.L. in other areas @ Rs. 2000/- S.B.	1,84,500	2000	3690.00	-	3690.00	
(c)	Purchase of B.L. from Growers @ Rs. 2115/- S.B.	5,000	2115	104.00	-	104.00	
	Sub Total:	1,98,900		3,987		3987	
2(a)	Running and Maintenance charges of Existing Govt. vehicles, in (12) Circles, (30) Districts and (37) Divisions and its Ranges of T.S, O/o Prl.CCF(HOFF)&O/o Addl. Prl. CCF/CF(STC).				225	225	20%
(b)	Hire charges of vehicles required to check the pruning operations in the units, Leaf collection centers and godowns and to carrycash for payment of Collection charges by Range Officers of (30) Districts and (37) Divisions and its Ranges of T.S, O/o Prl.CCF(HOFF)& Addl. Prl. CCF / CF(STC).						
	Total :				225	225	
3	Printing, Stationery & Publicity (Printing of all the Registers, Forms, Permit Books, Hand Bills, Rate Posters, Tender Notices, Agreement Forms, Tender Forms, advertisement of Sales in Press etc in (30) Districts and (37) Divisions and its Ranges of T.S, O/o Prl.CCF(HOFF)& Addl. Prl. CCF / CF(STC)			65	20.00	85.00	20%

4	<u>Engaging Outsourced Personnel in Circle & Division Office & Godwon Record keepers</u>						
	A. Engaging Outsourced Personnel at circle offices, division offices, O/o Prl.CCF(HOFF) and O/o Addl. Prl.CCF/CF (STC) for entering Beedi leafs data for 12 months.				451.06	451.06	30%
	B. GodownRecord Keepers / T.Ms. (@ one for each unit) for 45 days				15.00	15.00	
	Total:				466.06	466.06	
5. (a)	<u>INSURANCE</u>						
	Money in transit and BL at Khallas, inTransit and inGodown.			33.00		33.00	10%
(b.)	Insurance for Staff & Beedi Leaf collectors involved in Beedi Leaf Collection (Ex-gratia)				6.00	6.00	No Increase
6	T.S. Forest Development Corporation Ltd., Beedi Leaf Cell Expenditure				42.00	42.00	No Increase
7	Legal Expenses				2.20	2.20	10%
8	<u>Misc. Expenditure: -</u>						
(a)	Sale arrangement expenses at Hyderabad by hiring well accommodated Function Hall, refreshment etc., for 5 to 6 Sales at State Level.				5.00	5.00	No Increase
(b)	Miscellaneous Office expenses including Postal charges, Fax, Telephone & Telegraphic charges, Electricity charges, Municipal Taxes and other office expenin (30) Districts, (37) Divisions and its Ranges of T.S and O/o. Prl. CCF (HoFF) and STC, Minister, EFS&T dept.				154.02	154.02	20%
(c)	Maintenance of staff quarters and office buildings of Forest Dept., in Telangana State				278.13	278.13	25%
(d)	Payment of Godown rents, wages for watch & ward of terminated units material.				16.50	16.50	10%

(e)	Facilitation charges to staff of Forest Department involved in Beedi Leaf collection 2019 season.						
	Category – I @ Rs. 6000/- each. (FROs, Managers, Suptds., Sr.Assts, Sr. Stenos)				60.00	60.00	No Increase
	Category – II @ Rs. 5000/- each. (DROs, FSOs, Jr. Assts. Typists)						
	Category – III @ 3000/- each.						
	(FBOs, ABOs, Drivers, Attenders).						
		Total:		4,085	1274.91	5459.61	
9	Interest on Bank loans raised by the TSFDC.Ltd. to meet the cost of the scheme @ 9.5% on 5459.61 Lakhs)				518.66	518.66	
	GRAND TOTAL (Rs. in Lakhs)			4,085	1793.57	5878.27	

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ANNEXURE – III to G.O. Rt. No.109 EFS&T/For.I(2)/2021, Dt:12.10.2021**STATEMENT SHOWING THE PROPOSALS FOR DELEGATIONS OF
FINANCIAL POWERS TO THE FOREST OFFICERS DURING
2021 BEEDI LEAF SEASON**

		Existing Powers as per 2020 BL Season	Powers proposed for 2021 BL Season
1)	Work advance to staff at a time subject to rendering accounts of previous balance.		
	i) D.F.O / FDO.	Rs.2,00,000/-	Rs.2,00,000/-
	ii) F.R.O.	Rs.1,00,000/-	Rs.1,00,000/-
	iii) DY.R.O.	Rs. 20,000/-	Rs. 20,000/-
	iv) Forester	Rs. 20,000/-	Rs. 20,000/-
2)	Powers of payment on single voucher		
	i) D.F.O / FDO.	Rs.50,000/-	Rs.50,000/-
	ii) F.R.O.	Rs.50,000/-	Rs.50,000/-
	iii) DY.R.O.	Rs. 20,000/-	Rs. 20,000/-
	iv) Forester	Rs. 20,000/-	Rs. 20,000/-

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